

GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH: 21 TWENTIETH AVE. HOXTON PARK

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MASSES FOR THE LORD'S DAY NEXT SUNDAY: PALM SUNDAY

SATURDAY **5.30 P.M.** SUNDAY **8 a.m. 9.45 a.m. 5.30 p.m.**

NEXT SUNDAY the main morning Mass begins at **9.45 a.m.** instead of the normal **10 a.m.** This because of the Solemn Entrance for which the Choir will sing the antiphon and hymn.

WEEKDAYS: MONDAY **8 a.m.** TUESDAY **7 p.m.** WEDNESDAY **9 a.m.**

THURSDAY (*The Annunciation of the Lord*) **7 p.m.** FRIDAY **9 a.m.**

RECONCILIATION: Our priest will be available in the Reconciliation Rooms on Tuesday and Thursday **6.30 - 6.55 p.m.** and Saturday **4 - 5 p.m.**

ROSARY is prayed together in Church on Wednesdays at **8.30 a.m.**

THE WAY OF THE CROSS is prayed in the Church this Friday **7 p.m.**

ST. JOSEPH, husband of Mary, foster-father of Jesus, Patron of workers, of a peaceful death, of the universal Church. Prayer cards on the pew ends, with a Family Entrustment in the foyer.

WORKING BEE NEXT SATURDAY 27th (Palm Sunday weekend) to cut palms and to clean up gardens and grounds in preparation for Holy Week & Easter. If you can, please help for an hour or two or longer, any time from **8 a.m.** on. Please bring any useful equipment with you.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER ROSTER: Holy Thursday night, Good Friday afternoon, Easter Vigil (Holy Sat. night), Easter Sunday – the roster is in the foyer. Readers, Communion Ministers, Altar Servers, screen operators, collectors. Please volunteer on the roster

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION is for Catholic students who are in Year **6** in Primary School or in years **7 to 12** in High School.

The final parents' meeting: to enroll students in the preparation is **this Sunday evening 21st March** at **6.45** here in Church. If the youngster received first Holy Communion in our parish then we will have all the details of Baptism, first Reconciliation and Communion. Otherwise we will need those details. Parents who are not Catholic not obliged to come but are most welcome.

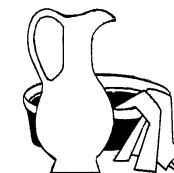
CHILDREN'S FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION

Details of the parents' **ENROLMENT NIGHTS, PREPARATION SESSIONS** and of all the **CELEBRATIONS** of these two Sacraments are on the Church notice board in the foyer. There are copies (that can be taken away) of these details on the table underneath the notice board.

TRIDUUM THREE SACRED DAYS FROM APRIL 1

1. HOLY THURSDAY 7.30 P.M. MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

celebrates the Institution of the Eucharist, Christ's example of service in washing the disciples' feet, his new commandment & prayer for Church unity. After Mass Communion for Good Friday is taken to the Place of Repose.



2. GOOD FRIDAY



3 P.M. CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION (Word of God & Intercessions, Veneration of the Cross, and Communion).

11 A.M. WAY OF THE CROSS. A presentation by Parish youth of the drama of the Cross, either in the grounds or on the screen

3. EASTER

HOLY SATURDAY 7.30 P.M. EASTER VIGIL (The Ceremony of Light, Word of God, Renewal of Baptism, and first **EASTER MASS**.)

EASTER SUNDAY 8 A.M. EASTER MASS:

10 A.M. EASTER MASS:

5.30 P.M. EASTER MASS.

